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PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 03495.0320-01

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Stewart COLE, et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 1654
	)	
Application No.: 10/802,796	)	
	)	Examiner: Julia HA
Filed: March 18, 2004	)	
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For: A METHOD FOR ISOLATING A	)	Confirmation No.: 6307
POLYNUCLEOTIDE OF	)	
INTEREST FROM THE GENOME	)	
OF MYCOBACTERIUM USING A	)	
BAC-BASED DNA LIBRARY,	)	
APPLICATION TO THE	)	
DETECTION OF MYCOBACTERIA	)	

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicant petitions for a two-month extension of time to file a reply to the final Office Action of October 17, 2007. A fee payment of \$460.00 is enclosed. This petition and fee are for the second and third months, a petition and fee for the first month having been filed on February 19, 2008.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached reply and charge additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

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